



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: Aliev et. al.

SERIAL NO: 09/980,157

EXAMINER: Allen Stephone

FILED: June 11, 2002

GROUP: 2878

TITLE: System For Illuminating An Object

PETITION UNDER RULE 136(a) AND RULE 17(a) (2)

ATTN: MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, under Rule 136(a), to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated, June 8, 2004, for three months, from September 8, 2004 to December 8, 2004. Submitted herewith, under Rule 17(a) (2), is a check in the amount of \$490.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a Small Entity.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additionally required fee, or to credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 03-2468.

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Respectfully submitted,
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Enclosure: Check in the amount of \$490.00.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner of Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 23313-1450, on December 7, 2004.

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